112TH CONGRESS 1ST SESSION

### H.R.802

#### AN ACT

To amend title 38, United States Code, to direct the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to establish a VetStar Award Program.

- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
- ${\it 2\ tives\ of\ the\ United\ States\ of\ America\ in\ Congress\ assembled},$

#### 1 SECTION 1. VETSTAR AWARD PROGRAM.

| 2  | (a) In General.—Section 532 of title 38, United          |
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| 3  | States Code, is amended—                                 |
| 4  | (1) by striking "The Secretary may" and in-              |
| 5  | serting "(a) Advertising in National Media.—             |
| 6  | The Secretary may"; and                                  |
| 7  | (2) by adding at the end the following new sub-          |
| 8  | section:   |
| 9  | "(b) VetStar Award Program.—(1) The Sec-                 |
| 10 | retary shall establish an award program, to be known as  |
| 11 | the 'VetStar Award Program', to annually recognize busi- |
| 12 | nesses for their contributions to veterans' employment.  |
| 13 | "(2) The Secretary shall establish a process for the     |
| 14 | administration of the award program, including criteria  |
| 15 | for—   |
| 16 | "(A) categories and sectors of businesses eligi-         |
| 17 | ble for recognition each year; and                       |
| 18 | "(B) objective measures to be used in selecting          |
| 19 | businesses to receive the award.".                       |
| 20 | (b) Clerical Amendments.—                                |
| 21 | (1) Section Heading.—The heading of such                 |
| 22 | section is amended by adding at the end the fol-         |
| 23 | lowing: "; VetStar Award Program".                       |
| 24 | (2) Table of sections.—The table of sections             |
| 25 | at the beginning of chapter 5 of such title is amend-    |

- 1 ed by striking the item relating to section 532 and
- 2 inserting the following new item:

"532. Authority to advertise in national media; VetStar Award Program.".

Passed the House of Representatives June 1, 2011. Attest:

Clerk.

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